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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Jason M. Ortega et al.	Docket No. :	IL-11091
Serial No. :	10/668,820	Art Unit :	3612
Filed :	09/22/2003	Examiner :	Dennis Pedder
For :	Boattail Plates with Non-Rectangular Geometries for Reducing Aerodynamic Base Drag of a Bluff body in Ground Effect		

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8a)

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION ABANDONED**  
**UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the Patent and Trademark Office. The abandonment date of this application is November 22, 2005 (i.e., the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply plus any extensions of time obtainable therefor).

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

1. The petition fee for a small entity is \$750.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). A small

entity statement was previously filed.

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2. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Accordingly it is submitted that failure to pay the issue fee was due to the inadvertent failure to mail the Part B-Fee Transmittal, PTOL-85, by the due date of November 23, 2005 to the Patent and Trademark Office. This mistake was realized on the morning of December 1, 2005 upon which immediate action to revive the application was taken.

If any impediment to prompt allowance should remain which could be resolved by telephone, please call Applicant's Attorney at (925) 422-7274.

**1. APPLICATION STATUS IS:**

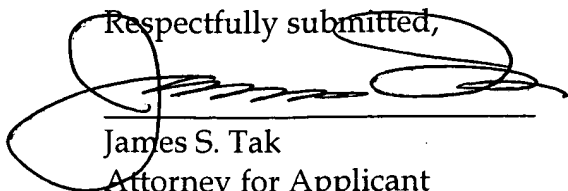
- ☒ Small business entity - fee \$750.00
- ☐ A statement is attached
- ☒ A statement was filed
- ☐ Other than small entity-fee

**2. FEE PAYMENT**

- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-0695 in the amount of \$750.00 (Petition Fee)
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-0695 in the amount of \$1030.00 (Issue/Publication Fee/copies)
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-0695 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Dated: 12-1-05

Respectfully submitted,

  
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